

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q65721

Praveen SHARMA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/727,576

Group Art Unit: 1634

Confirmation No.: 8084

Examiner: Juliet Caroline SWITZER

Filed: December 5, 2003

For: METHOD OF PREPARING A STANDARD DIAGNOSTIC GENE TRANSCRIPT
PATTERN

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on
February 18, 2009:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was mailed February 24, 2009.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: None
2. Identification of claims discussed: None
3. Identification of art discussed: None
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: None
5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: None

6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: Applicants' representative contacted the Examiner to confirm that the Office Action mailed August 27, 2008 vacated the Office Action of August 18, 2008.

7. Results of Interview: The Examiner confirmed that the period of reply for the Final Office Action runs from the mailing date of the Supplemental Action.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,

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